

<b>INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT</b> (Not for submission under 37 CFR 1.99)	Application Number		10760965	
	Filing Date		2004-01-20	
	First Named Inventor	Ek		
	Art Unit	3733		
	Examiner Name	PHIOLENE, PEDRO		
Attorney Docket Number		STD00.01CIP2CON		

U.S. PATENTS						Remove
Examiner Initial*	Cite No	Patent Number	Kind Code <sup>1</sup>	Issue Date	Name of Patentee or Applicant of cited Document	Pages, Columns, Lines where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear
/P.P./	1	5645598		1997-07-08	BROSNAHAN III	
/P.P./	2	6120542		2000-09-19	CAMINO ET AL.	

If you wish to add additional U.S. Patent citation information please click the Add button.

Add

U.S. PATENT APPLICATION PUBLICATIONS						Remove
Examiner Initial*	Cite No	Publication Number	Kind Code <sup>1</sup>	Publication Date	Name of Patentee or Applicant of cited Document	Pages, Columns, Lines where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear
/P.P./	1	20080306483		2008-12-11	IANNARONE	

If you wish to add additional U.S. Published Application citation information please click the Add button.

Add

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS							Remove	
Examiner Initial*	Cite No	Foreign Document Number <sup>3</sup>	Country Code <sup>2</sup> j	Kind Code <sup>4</sup>	Publication Date	Name of Patentee or Applicant of cited Document	Pages, Columns, Lines where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear	T <sup>5</sup>
/P.P./	1	2001262308	AU		2001-12-11	RIZKALLAH		<input type="checkbox"/>
/P.P./	2	0903127	EP		1999-03-24	RESCH		<input type="checkbox"/>

**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE  
STATEMENT BY APPLICANT**  
( Not for submission under 37 CFR 1.99)

Application Number	10760965
Filing Date	2004-01-20
First Named Inventor	Ek
Art Unit	3733
Examiner Name	PHILOGENE, PEDRO
Attorney Docket Number	STD00.01CIP2CON

/P.P./	3	11244315	JP		1999-09-14	ISHIDA		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
/P.P./	4	2005051231	WO		2005-06-09	EK		<input type="checkbox"/>

If you wish to add additional Foreign Patent Document citation information please click the Add button

**NON-PATENT LITERATURE DOCUMENTS**

Examiner Initials*	Cite No	Include name of the author (in CAPITAL LETTERS), title of the article (when appropriate), title of the item (book, magazine, journal, serial, symposium, catalog, etc), date, pages(s), volume-issue number(s), publisher, city and/or country where published.	T <sup>s</sup>
/P.P./	1	U.S. Office Action dated January 9, 2009 issued in related U.S. Patent Application No. 10373463.	<input type="checkbox"/>
/P.P./	2	Canadian Office Action dated December 9, 2008 issued in related Canadian Patent Application No. 2407440	<input type="checkbox"/>
/P.P./	3	Supplemental European Search Report dated November 6, 2008 issued in related European Patent Application No. 05791453.3-2310.	<input type="checkbox"/>
/P.P./	4	Japanese Office Action dated December 19, 2008 issued in Japanese Patent Application No. 2006501193.	<input type="checkbox"/>
/P.P./	5	Japanese Office Action dated January 13, 2009 issued in Japanese Patent Application No. 2003552147.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
/P.P./	6	International Search Report dated January 30, 2006 issued in related International Patent Application No. PCT/US04/39181.	<input type="checkbox"/>
/P.P./	7	U.S. Office Action dated March 27, 2009 issued in related U.S. Patent Application No. 11169326.	<input type="checkbox"/>

**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE  
STATEMENT BY APPLICANT**  
( Not for submission under 37 CFR 1.99)

Application Number	10760965
Filing Date	2004-01-20
First Named Inventor	Ek
Art Unit	3733
Examiner Name	PHILOGENE, PEDRO
Attorney Docket Number	STD00.01CIP2CON

/P.P./	8	European Office Action dated February 26, 2009 in related European Patent Application No, 05791453.3.	<input type="checkbox"/>
--------	---	---	--------------------------

If you wish to add additional non-patent literature document citation information please click the Add button

**EXAMINER SIGNATURE**

Examiner Signature	/Pedro Philogene/	Date Considered	08/26/2009
--------------------	-------------------	-----------------	------------

\*EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through a citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

<sup>1</sup> See Kind Codes of USPTO Patent Documents at [www.USPTO.GOV](http://www.USPTO.GOV) or MPEP 901.04. <sup>2</sup> Enter office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). <sup>3</sup> For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the Emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. <sup>4</sup> Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST.16 if possible. <sup>5</sup> Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language translation is attached.